Building Seismic Safety Council (BSSC) Seismic Design Procedures Reassessment Group (SDPRG – a.k.a., Project '07) Workshop

September 10, 2008 – 9am to 5pm Embassy Suites San Francisco Airport – Burlingame, California

Sponsors:

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
United States Geological Survey (USGS)

Draft Agenda

9:00-9:15	Opening Remarks (David Bonneville)
9:15-9:45	Status of 2009 NEHRP Provisions Update (Ron Hamburger)
9:45-10:15	Introduction to SDPRG and Changes Proposed for 2009 NEHRP Provisions Charlie Kircher, SDPRG Chair
10:15-10:30	Break
10:30-11:15	2008 Update of USGS National Seismic Hazard Maps Mark Petersen, USGS National Seismic Hazard Mapping Project Chief
11:15-12:00	Risk-Targeted Ground Motions Nicolas Luco, SDPRG Task Leader
12:00-1:30	Lunch and Status of Other BSSC Activities
1:30-2:00	Maximum Direction Ground Motions Andrew Whittaker, SDPRG Task Leader
2:00-2:15	84 th -Percentile Deterministic Ground Motions Andrew Whittaker, SDPRG Task Leader
2:15-2:30	Break
2:30-3:15	Summary of SDPRG Proposal for Changes for 2009 NEHRP Provisions Charlie Kircher, SDPRG Chair
3:15-4:00	Demonstration of Updated USGS Web Tool for Seismic Design Values Nicolas Luco, USGS Seismic Design Maps Task Leader
4:00-4:45	Additional Q&A and/or Moderated Panel Discussion E.V. Leyendecker, USGS Emeritus Seismic Design Maps Task Leader
4:45-5:00	Closing Remarks (David Bonneville)